

EXHIBIT A



**Service of Process
Transmittal**

02/08/2021

CT Log Number 539015563

TO: Monte H. Baier, Senior Vice President & General Counsel
Panda Restaurant Group, Inc.
1120 N TOWN CENTER DR STE 150
LAS VEGAS, NV 89144-6303

RE: Process Served in Texas

FOR: Panda Express, Inc. (Domestic State: CA)

ENCLOSED ARE COPIES OF LEGAL PROCESS RECEIVED BY THE STATUTORY AGENT OF THE ABOVE COMPANY AS FOLLOWS:

TITLE OF ACTION: ELIZABETH SORIANO, PLTF. vs. PANDA EXPRESS, INC., DFT.

DOCUMENT(S) SERVED: -

COURT/AGENCY: None Specified
Case # 202106810

NATURE OF ACTION: Personal Injury - Slip/Trip and Fall

ON WHOM PROCESS WAS SERVED: C T Corporation System, Dallas, TX

DATE AND HOUR OF SERVICE: By Process Server on 02/08/2021 at 03:33

JURISDICTION SERVED : Texas

APPEARANCE OR ANSWER DUE: None Specified

ATTORNEY(S) / SENDER(S): None Specified

ACTION ITEMS: CT has retained the current log, Retain Date: 02/08/2021, Expected Purge Date: 02/13/2021

Image SOP

Email Notification, Monte H. Baier Monte.Baier@PandaRG.com

Email Notification, Melinda Yee-Dong Melinda.Yee-Dong@pandarg.com

Email Notification, James Hedges james.hedges@pandarg.com

Email Notification, Julia Duong julia.duong@pandarg.com

REGISTERED AGENT ADDRESS: C T Corporation System
1999 Bryan Street
Suite 900
Dallas, TX 75201
866-331-2303
CentralTeam1@wolterskluwer.com

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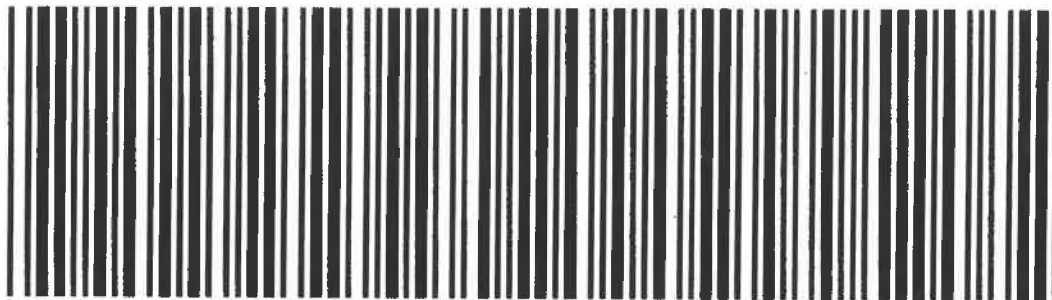


PROCESS SERVER DELIVERY DETAILS

Date: Mon, Feb 8, 2021

Server Name: Guy Connelly

Entity Served	PANDA EXPRESS, INC.
Agent Name	C T CORPORATION SYSTEM
Case Number	2021 06810
Jurisdiction	TX



CAUSE NO. 202106810

COPY OF PLEADING PROVIDED BY PLT

RECEIPT NO: 887523 TRACKING NO: 73838132 EML

Plaintiff:
SORIANO, ELIZABETH
vs.
Defendant:
PANDA EXPRESS INC

In The 215th
Judicial District Court of
Harris County, Texas
201 CAROLINE
Houston, Texas

CITATION CORPORATE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Harris

**To: PANDA EXPRESS INC (A CORPORATION) BY SERVING ITS DESIGNATED AGENT C T
CORPORATION SYSTEM
1999 BRYAN STREET STE 900, DALLAS TX 75201
OR WHEREVER THEY MAY BE FOUND**

Attached is a copy of: PLAINTIFF'S ORIGINAL PETITION AND REQUEST FOR DISCLOSURE

This instrument was filed on February 3, 2021 in the above cited cause number and court. The instrument attached describes the claim against you.

YOU HAVE BEEN SUED. You may employ an attorney. If you or your Attorney do not file a written answer with the District Clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next following the expiration date of 20 days after you were served this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you. In addition to filing a written answer with the clerk, you may be required to make initial disclosures to the other parties of this suit. These disclosures generally must be made no later than 30 days after you file your answer with the clerk. Find out more at TexasLawHelp.org.

This citation was issued on February 4, 2021, under my hand and seal of said court.

Issued at the request of:

Afrakhteh Milliff, Tara Marie
1616 S. VOSS, SUITE 450
HOUSTON, TX 77057
713-871-1001
Bar Number: 24073825



Marilyn Burgess

Marilyn Burgess, District Clerk

Harris County, Texas
201 CAROLINE Houston Texas 77002
(PO Box 4651, Houston, Texas 77210)

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Tracking Number: 73838132 EML

CAUSE NUMBER: 202106810

PLAINTIFF: SORIANO, ELIZABETH

vs.

DEFENDANT: PANDA EXPRESS INC

In the 215th

Judicial District Court of

Harris County, Texas

OFFICER - AUTHORIZED PERSON RETURN

Came to hand at _____ o'clock ____ M. on the _____ day of _____, 20____. Executed at

(Address) _____

in

_____ County at o'clock ____ M. On the _____ day of _____, 20____, by

Delivering to _____ defendant, in person, a true copy of this Citation together with the accompanying _____ copy (ies) of the «Attachment». Petition attached thereto and I endorsed on said copy of the Citation the date of delivery.

To certify which I affix my hand officially this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Fees \$ _____

Affiant

2/8/21 

By _____
Deputy

On this day, _____, known to me to be the person whose signature appears on the foregoing return, personally appeared. After being by me duly sworn, he/she stated that this citation was executed by him/her in the exact manner recited on the return.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME, On this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Notary Public

CAUSE NUMBER: 2021-06810

ELIZABETH SORIANO
PLAINTIFF**IN THE 215TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT**
COURT OF HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS**VS.****PANDA EXPRESS, INC**
DEFENDANT**RETURN OF SERVICE**

My name is **GUY CONNELLY**. I am over the age of eighteen (18), I am not a party to this case, and have no interest in its outcome. I am in all ways competent to make this affidavit and this affidavit is based on personal knowledge. The facts stated herein are true and correct. My business address is: 1320 QUITMAN ST. STE 100, HOUSTON, HARRIS COUNTY, TX 77009, U.S.A.

ON Friday February 05, 2021 AT 08:50 AM - CITATION CORPORATE, PLAINTIFF'S ORIGINAL PETITION, REQUEST FOR DISCLOSURE, came to hand for service upon PANDA EXPRESS, INC (A CORPORATION) BY SERVING ITS REGISTERED AGENT CT CORPORATION SYSTEM.

On Monday February 08, 2021 at 02:40 PM - The above named documents were hand delivered to: PANDA EXPRESS, INC (A CORPORATION) BY SERVING ITS REGISTERED AGENT CT CORPORATION SYSTEM @ 1999 BRYAN STREET STE 900 , DALLAS, TX 75201, in Person. By delivering to Lindsey Barrientez, Intake Specialist

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

STATE OF TEXAS

DECLARATION

"My name is **GUY CONNELLY**, my date of birth is 11/04/1951 my business address is **1320 QUITMAN STREET, HOUSTON, TX 77009**, and I declare under penalty of perjury that this affidavit is true and correct."

Executed in **Dallas County, State of Texas** on **Tuesday February 09, 2021**

/s/GUY CONNELLY

Declarant

PSC#2201 EXP. 09/30/22

Appointed in accordance with State Statutes

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